

[A lifting and telescoping dolly]

Abstract of Disclosure

A lifting and telescoping dolly for facilitating removal, repair and re-installation of large commercial water heaters located specifically in attics. The dolly includes two frames and a lift for which portion supports a water heater. Wheels with brake system are rotatably mounted on the main frame (11) for moving the frame over a support surface into position beneath an attic entrance way and securing it into position. Two handles projects from the frame for manually manipulating the frame into and out of position relative to the attic entrance carrying the water heater. A telescoping frame (7) is provided for raising and lowering the frame relative to the height of the ceiling. The support can be raised by turning the crank (48). Once the main frame (11) is in place and the telescopic frame (7) is extended to desired height, turning crank (1) connected by cable (27) to lift (31) will lift the hot water heater into the attic.

